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- ☐ Applicant(s) claim small entity status (37 CFR 1.27).

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- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Amendment/Response with respect to Office Action
- ☐ Amendment/Response After Final Action (37 CFR 1.116) (reminder: consider filing a Notice of Appeal)
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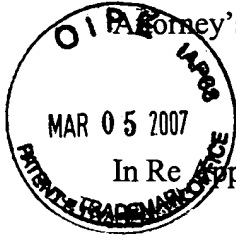
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action mailed November 28, please enter this amendment and consider the following remarks.

Current Listing of Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.